HOUSE BILL 3372 By Windle

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-115, relative to electrologists.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-26-115(c), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety, and by substituting instead the following language:

(c)

- (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2), no electrologist shall be registered by the board to practice without examination, unless a recognized out-of-state license is valid and acceptable.
- (2) The board is authorized to register an electrologist to practice in this state without taking the required examination even if an out-of-state license has not been issued to a person who provides proof satisfactory to the board that:
 - (A) The person requesting registration has practiced electrology for more than twenty-five (25) years in another state which does not require licensure for such practice;
 - (B) Such person is a certified professional electrologist; and
 - (C) Such person is a licensed cosmetologist.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring

it.